

# ★ Among Our State Exchanges....

This, That and the Other, Particularly the Latter...

E. F. Moon, editor of the Scottsbluff Herald, is a level-headed, philosophical sort of a man. Recently the commissioners of Scottsbluff county called for bids for the county printing, and Bro. Moon, being on the wrong side of the fence, politically, got left, of course. But he doesn't whine a bit. Here is what he says about it:

A number of papers in the state are just now raising a big howl on account of their not getting this county printing in their counties. This giving vent to one's feelings when you are shoved into the background by a cold, unfeeling board of commissioners is a sure indication of 'sour grapes.' The Herald filed a bid to do the county printing and furnish the stationery and supplies, and we got just what we expected,—nothing—and we're not sore about it either.

Somebody has said that "he who bloweth not his own horn, the same shall not be blown." Evidently the editor of the Gering Courier has read the old axiom and believes in it, for listen to him:

Never in the history of this office have we had a steadier run of job printing than during the past few months, and it still seems to be stacked up for as long a time into the future. It is the policy of this shop to do good work and no pains are spared to please our customers, hence we command work from a larger territory than the ordinary country office could expect.

The editor of the Ansley Chronicle, Tom Wright, impresses one with the idea that, though a republican, there is more of honesty and fearlessness in his composition than is manifested by the average g. o. p. newspaper man. It is plain to be seen that Bro. Wright was in earnest when he penned this paragraph:

The Broken Bow Republican insists that the next term of governor belongs to Custer county, and if Gov. Savage is not acceptable a good substitute can be furnished. That may all be very true and we believe there is nothing too good for Custer, but the diabolical, incorrigible pardon of Bartley, the thief, by a governor from this county, almost demands, for the present at least, that Custer county go away back and sit down.

In the event that Gov. Savage is nominated—and it looks that way now—will the Chronicle repudiate him, and join hands with the fusionists in an effort to elect a better man?

Two or three editors of the state, jealous of his ability as a writer and his success as a newspaper man, have accused Edgar Howard, of the Columbus Telegram of an overweening desire to represent his district in congress. But Bro. Howard denies the soft impeachment thusly:

Edgar Howard neither solicits nor desires a nomination for congress. He is grateful to every friend who has mentioned his name in that relation, but his one ambition for the present is to run a democratic newspaper.

And yet there are few men in Nebraska who would reflect greater credit upon their constituency in the halls of congress than the brainy editor of the Telegram.

There is more truth than fiction expressed in the following paragraph from the Fullerton Post.

A man who does not advertise cannot long remain in business in Fullerton—that is judging from passing events. This is a different age than some fellows ever lived in and if you expect to get your share of the business, hire a band and a newspaper and go after it. If you don't it is only a question of time until you will drop out of sight.

If there be any truth in this little narrative from the Bayard Transcript, then in goes without saying that there's something "out of joint," somewhere. And if it is a base slander, then the young ladies of Bayard should demand an abject apology.

We understand that the young ladies of one of our churches are considering the expediency of giving a hugging social for the benefit of the depleted church treasury. This is a new idea in church socials, and has knocked the foot show out completely.

The editor of the Bridgeport Blade is not so hide-bound in his republican faith that he cannot wish a brother newspaper man—although differing with him politically—success:

T. J. O'Keefe has moved his printing plant to Alliance and will issue the HERALD from that place. Success to you, brother, and you bet we will put the HERALD on our "Ex" list.

There are two kinds of republicans—the broad and the narrow-gauged. We've got a whole lot of respect for the former, but none whatever for the other sort.

There is a ripe field for some evangelist of eloquent tongue and convincing argument at Valentine, else the clipping below from the Democrat of that city is badly overdrawn:

There was some shooting in town a few nights ago when some of the boys got bowled up a little. We think there were some pretty badly scared people in town about the time the popping began, especially those nearest the bullets. It began with a noisy crowd and ended with a rough house.

The Adams County Democrat grows eloquent in its advocacy of Gen. Victor Vifquain as the next democratic nominee for governor of Nebraska:

Among the democrats the name of Gen. Victor Vifquain is often mentioned as the proper candidate for governor. The soldier candidate indeed, and a grand man in every respect. There isn't a democrat in Nebraska who would not support General Vifquain loyally. When elected you would have a big, strong man in the executive chair; a steady head and a true heart. Why not Vifquain?

The Grand Island Democrat lacks confidence in the sincerity of many republicans who have raised such a howl about the pardon of Joe Bartley, and the HERALD agrees with the Democrat when it says:

If the republicans were conscientious in condemning the Bartley pardon why do not some of them condemn the law and advocate a change to a Board of Pardons. This would hamper republicans in Nebraska but, nevertheless, it would be a long step in the right direction.

This from the York Teller indicates that its editor is averse to being laughed at:

Some of the editors laugh at us and say we try to tickle our subscribers by publishing a list of those who pay.

Just keep right on publishing the names. It is perfectly legitimate, besides a good idea.

Frank Harrison, who recently launched a new republican paper at Lincoln, isn't regarded with very high favor by the Daily Post of that city, otherwise it would not have said:

If every alleged newspaper man who fails to secure a government job after fighting the winners starts a new paper, what a lively campaign we shall see this year—among the republicans.

## LAWN NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. E. E. Ford visited friends in Hemingford last Saturday and Sunday.

C. Klemke has been hauling hay from his hay claim on Snake creek lately.

Superintendent J. W. Baumgardner visited five of the six schools in Lawn precinct recently.

Meta, the five-year old daughter of C. Klemke, who has been sick for two weeks, is now able to be up again.

The land sale by Sheriff Reed, Tuesday induced a number of Lawn's most prominent ranchmen to go to Alliance.

Pete Soukup has filed homestead papers on a claim four miles east of Lawn, and will commence erecting a dwelling thereon as soon as the weather is favorable.

Postmaster Wanek, and almost his entire family have been having a severe attack of the grip. However, they are all able to be out again now, except his three year old son, Amos, who is still quite ill.

Mr. Homrighouser, after suffering two days and nights with the tooth ache, finally decided that he could do without that tooth, and hastened to Dr. Reynolds, who soon relieved him of the offending member.

The people of Lawn have been greatly surprised at the rapidity with which James Planansky has been erecting those new buildings on his ranch, one-half mile west of Lawn. He has built a new and substantial barn for his horses; also, abundant sheds for his cattle, all out of first-class lumber. The house which he purchased of Dr. Blanchard has been remodelled and repaired until it is now a very comfortable dwelling. Jim moved his cattle last week, and is now rapidly moving all his belongings to his new home. His sister, Antoniette, is there at present to help him brighten up the interior of his home. What will Jim do next?

## Additional Local News.

Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house. George Darling's Red Tag Sale closes February 28.

Capt. W. M. Evans, of Marsland, was in Alliance, Wednesday, on business.

Don't forget, when you want anything in the printing line, that the HERALD has the most complete job office in northwest Nebraska, manipulating which is a printer who understands his business. We guarantee to turn out neat, clean, up-to-date work. Give us a trial order.

Mrs. John Mahony and children arrived in Alliance last week from Holly, Colorado, and will visit Mrs. Mahoney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Manion, who reside in the Box Butte neighborhood, for three weeks. Mr. Mahoney sold his farm in Colorado and will locate in Nance county, Nebraska. They were not pleased with Colorado.

County Superintendent Baumgardner is planning a meeting for teachers and school boards to be held at Hemingford March 22. The school boards are to discuss consolidation of schools; adoption of courses of study, and other questions which are likely to be brought up at the annual meetings. Program for the teachers meeting will be published about two weeks previous to date of meeting.

The HERALD is more than pleased with the liberal patronage extended by the business men and other citizens of Alliance. A glance at the advertising columns of the paper will convince the most skeptical that there is room in this fair little city for the HERALD. Fifty-seven new names have been added to the paper's subscription list this week. This, before the first issue has been printed, and without any special effort in that direction, is a pretty fair indication that the HERALD is not an interloper.

Small loans on short time. Bankable paper. C. E. Marks & Co.

Professional Cards. ATTORNEYS.

WILLIAM MITCHELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW, ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA. OFFICE PHONE 180. RESIDENCE PHONE 203.

R. C. NOLEMAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, First National bank building, Alliance, Neb. Notary in office.

W. G. SIMONSON... Attorney at Law... Office Up-stairs Over Postoffice

L. A. BERRY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA.

PHYSICIANS. W. H. BELLWOOD, M. D. - W. S. BELLWOOD, M. D.

Bellwood & Bellwood, PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS. Holsten Building, - ALLIANCE, NEB.

L. W. BOWMAN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in First National Bank block. Alliance, Nebraska.

Dr. G. M. SMITH, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention given to diseases of women and all surgical diseases. Statile electricity used in the treatment of anemia, rheumatism and neuritis. X Ray examination made with no discomfort or injury to patient. Board and rooms for out of town patients. Residence phone 15. Office phone 12.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Alliance Steam Laundry.

WE'RE JUST as thankful for a small package as a large one. Each will receive the same thorough and careful attention. If we get the former it may in time grow to the latter, by the satisfaction you will derive in wearing our laundered work.

Nelson, Peirce & Co.

To Meet the Demand...

Of our patrons and gratify the lovers of the truly artistic, we have added the.....

CARBON & PLATINUM

Finishes to our already up-to-date line of photographs. Call and see samples.....

MARK'S STUDIO.

NOTICE. STATE OF NEBRASKA, Box Butte Co.

At a County Court, held in the County Court Room in and for said County, January 29, 1902. Present—D. K. Spacht, County Judge. In the matter of the estate of Michael H. Fay, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of M. F. Harrington, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Thos. J. O'Keefe, as administrator.

Ordered that on February 24, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that in case of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the HERALD, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

A true copy. D. K. SPACHT, County Judge.

Notice of Probate of Will. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF BOX BUTTE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

The State of Nebraska, to Elvira Bass, Sidna Kearney, Mosetta Randall, Hattie Jewell, Nora Hales, Arthur Bass, Otis Bass, Concia Bass, Edward Bass and to any others interested in said matter:

You are hereby notified that an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Moses Bass, deceased, is on file in said court, and also a petition praying for the probate of said instrument, and for the appointment of Elvira Bass as executrix. That on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., said petition and the proof of the execution of said instrument will be heard, and that if you do not then appear and contest, said court may probate and record the same, and grant administration of the estate to said Elvira Bass.

This notice shall be published for three weeks successively in the ALLIANCE HERALD prior to said hearing. Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of February, 1902. D. K. SPACHT, County Judge.

The HERALD would like to have a fair share of your job work.

MOLLRING BROS.

Are Offering

All Ladies' Flannel Waists at Cost.  
Suits and Skirts at Cost.  
Jackets and Wraps at Cost.

Winter Goods Must Be Closed Out to Make Room for the Largest....

Spring Stock

Ever Shown in Alliance.

If we can fit and please you in anything, remember the price will be within the reach of all.

Respectfully, MOLLRING BROS.

Men's and Boys' Clothing.

W. W. Norton....

Is Receiving His....

New Spring Goods,

AND WILL HAVE THE MOST COMPLETE AND UP-TO-DATE

Men's and Boys' Clothing

Ever Received in the City, and Will be Sold at.....

Popular Prices.

Select Line of Shoes.

George Darling's Red Tag Sale.

Red Tag Sale

...Means This...

That the price of every article in the store marked with a red tag is subject to a 25 per cent discount. CASH alone buys goods at these figures. We want to make room for a car-load of furniture for spring trade, and are making prices that will do it. Come and see what we have, or send by your friends.

Geo. Darling,

The Furniture Dealer,

West Side Main St., Alliance, Nebraska.

Only a Sprinklin' of 'em.

Among those who were in Alliance, Tuesday, to attend the stockmen's meeting and land sale, were the following:

From Hemingford—E. F. Abley, Luke Phillips, E. Mabin, W. M. Iodence, E. Vaughn, H. Hall, L. A. Neeland, A. S. Enyeart, John Smith, C. J. Wildy.

Lawn—John Mehrkens, Fred Nikant, C. H. Bourne.

A. Posvar, Geo. Behner, Henry Shimek, John Duhon, Jos. Moeller.

Clemon—Robt. Graham.

Liberty—Wm. Roth, Arthur Bass, Jos. Caha.

Canton—John Curran.

Marsland—True Miller, C. S. Marine.

Moomaw—Geo. Ross, Wm. O'Mara, R. H. Bourne.

Luella—L. J. Schill.

Box Butte—J. A. Wilson, Jos. Manion, C. H. Britton.

With three or four exceptions everyone of these gentlemen are readers of the HERALD. Many of them called at the office, but found things badly disarranged. The next time any of you are in town, boys, you'll find affairs at this office moving smoothly.